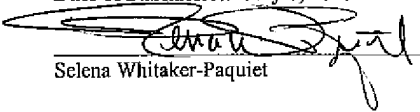


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Group Art Unit: 3734

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed February 4, 2010 and in connection with the Notice of Appeal filed May 4, 2010, applicants request that the subject application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.